

Park Addresses

BRIGHTON BEACH ~ located on the shore of Lake Superior, 1/4 mile east of Lester River on Congdon Blvd & 63rd Ave E

CHAMBERS GROVE ~ located on the St. Louis River in Fond du Lac ~ Hwy 23 & 135th Ave W

CHESTER BOWL ~ located on Skyline Parkway at approximately 18th Ave E

ENGER PARK ~ located on Skyline Parkway at 16th Ave W near Enger Golf Course

LEIF ERIKSON PARK ~ 11th Ave E & London Rd

LESTER PARK ~ located in the far eastern section of the city at 61st Ave E & Superior St near the Lester Golf Course

LINCOLN PARK ~ 25th Ave W & 3rd St

PARK POINT ~ located at 45th St & Minnesota Ave (at the Park Point Recreation area)

ROSE GARDEN ~ 13th Ave E & London Road

Information & Guidelines

- A permit does not give “exclusive” use of the park; only the shelter or gazebo; the park is still open to the public.
- We do not provide chairs, signage, or sound equipment, only the space.
- Please do not plan to arrive early unless special arrangements have been made. This is extremely important for the Rose Garden.
- Due to past damage, staked tents are no longer allowed. Stand-alone canopies are allowed in all parks except the Rose Garden. A \$100 deposit is required.
- Most parks are equipped with 110-volt electrical outlets – 220 are not available.

Multiple items may cause an overload; please be careful.

- Water is only available in parks with permanent restrooms.
- Amplified music, moonwalks, dunk tanks, or any equipment requiring independent power must be approved.
- If any change to your permit requires a new one to be issued, an additional \$25 fee will be charged.
- If a gate key is required for caterers or to bring supplies, a key can be issued for a \$20 deposit. Any vehicles must then be removed and the gate must remain locked during your event.
- All motorized vehicles must remain in the parking lot. Do not drive on any off-road areas such as, park pathways, grass, fields, etc.
- The area used must be left in an orderly condition; all trash must be disposed of properly in existing containers.
- The person to whom the permit was issued, is held responsible for the safe conduct of all those attending the event.



Parks & Recreation

Park Shelter Reservation Guide for Private Events

The permitting season for private events is from Memorial Day weekend thru September. Reservations for events to be held next year will be taken beginning November 1.

Reservations for weddings are taken beginning January 1 for weddings to be held the following year.



A permit is required for any private event at which attendance is expected to be 40 or more. If you know your group will be less than 40, you may still pay the fee to secure the shelter.

Reservations for Private Events

- To make a reservation for a private event for exclusive use of a shelter, please contact Mona at 218.730.4320 or email - mtalbot@duluthmn.gov.
- **Park Point shelters** - call 218.723.3616 or email parkpoint@duluthymca.org.

Food/Cooking

Grills are available for your use in most parks. You may bring your own, as long as coals are disposed of safely. All items for your picnic, such as food, beverages, and grills must be carried in to the shelter unless previous arrangements for a gate key have been made.

Alcoholic Beverages

Alcohol is prohibited in city parks unless you have secured an alcohol consumption permit. Please request this permit when making your reservation. Security may be required. All city policies and state laws will apply.

Special Events

“Special” events are open to the public (races, runs, walks, festivals, or community events). They do require a different type of permit. Contact Gail at 218.730.4306 or gwalkowiak@duluthmn.gov.

Park Recommendations

By Group Size

Under 100
Brighton Beach, Enger Park
Under 200
Chester Park, Lincoln Park
Any Size Group
Chambers Grove, Lester Park
Leif Erikson Park, Park Point

Fee Structure

Groups 1 – 150
Picnics \$50 Weddings \$70
Groups 151 – 300
Picnics \$90 Weddings \$110
Groups over 300
Picnics \$115 Weddings \$125

These prices are for a 5-hour time slot.

10am – 3pm or 4pm – 9pm

If you reserve both – the fee doubles.

The **Rose Garden Gazebo** is reserved in 2-hour time slots for wedding ceremonies and wedding photos only.
– the fee is \$150 –

Chairs are allowed only for the elderly or the handicapped. You cannot enter the reserved area before your permitted time. Please plan accordingly. If you want to have your rehearsal or have photos taken at this site, you must have a reservation.

Park Amenities

Brighton Beach:

shelter, fire shelter, rocky beach, grills, tables, gazebo, port-a-potty

Chambers Grove:

shelter, grills, tables, gazebo, electric, permanent restrooms, fishing pier

Chester Park:

grills, tables, electric, playground, pond, informal ball and soccer field, hiking trail, restrooms in chalet, water

Enger Park:

shelter, gazebo, tables, grills, water, electric, Tower, permanent restroom, gardens

Leif Erikson Park:

stage, benches, lake view, electric, restrooms nearby

Lester Park:

shelter, grills, tables, electric, hiking trail, playground, permanent restrooms

Park Point:

shelters, grills, tables, electric, trails, playground, volleyball courts, informal soccer/ball field, boat launch, beach house, permanent restrooms

Rose Garden:

beautiful gazebo, magnificent gardens, vintage fountain, benches, lake view, electricity, permanent restrooms

➤ All permanent restrooms will be closed after September 30.